

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

EXPOSHIPS, LLC,
Plaintiff,

v.

NICHOLS BROTHERS BOAT BUILDERS,
INC.,
Defendant.

CASE NO. C07-472RSM

ORDER STAYING CASE

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362(a)(1), “a petition filed . . . under . . . this title . . . operates as a stay, applicable to all entities, of - the commencement or continuation . . . of a judicial, administrative, or other action or proceeding against the debtor that was or could have been commenced before the commencement of the case under this title, or to recover a claim against the debtor that arose before the commencement of the case under this title[.]” Here, Defendant has notified this Court that it has filed a petition for Chapter 11 relief in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Washington. (Dkt. #4). Accordingly, the provisions of 11 U.S.C. § 362 apply and the case shall be STAYED.

The parties are directed to submit a Joint Status Report regarding the status of Defendant’s petition for Chapter 11 bankruptcy no later than six (6) months from the date of this Order. The parties are on notice that failure to adhere to this Court’s Order may result in the Court dismissing the case.

1 The Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this Order to all counsel of record.
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3 DATED this 21 day of April, 2008.
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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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